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The Temptation of Saint Anthony

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IDENTIFIER

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ARTIST

Brueghel, Pieter, the Elder, c. 1525/1530-1569
 Anonymous Artist

NATIONALITY

Netherlandish

DATE

c. 1550/1575

MEDIUM

oil on panel

TYPE OF OBJECT

Painting

DIMENSIONS

58.5 x 85.7 cm (23 1/16 x 33 3/4 in)

LOCATION

National Gallery of Art, Washington, District of Columbia

PROVENANCE

Private collection, Brussels. (Robert Frank, London, by 1935); [1] on consignment from 1937 with (M. Knoedler & Co., New York; joint purchase 1945 with (Pinakos [Rudolf Heinemann]); purchased 1950 by the Samuel H. Kress Foundation, New York; gift 1952 by exchange to NGA. [1] The corresponding entry in *Exposition Universelle et Internationale de Bruxelles. Cinq Siècles d'Art* (Brussels, 1935, no. 151, as Pieter Bruegel the Elder) states that before being acquired by Frank, the painting was in Brussels in the collection of an unnamed aristocrat. On the reverse are: an illegible stamp, possibly an Austrian customs stamp; a paper sticker, "Cinq Siècles d'Art (Bruxelles 1935)"; and a paper sticker, "Exposition De Van Eyck." [2] Knoedler commission book no. 3, p. 87, stock book no. 9, p. 96, and sales book no. 16, p. 251, no. A3127, M. Knoedler & Co. Records, Getty Research Institute copies NGA curatorial files). [3] Both The Baltimore Museum of Art, *An Exhibition of Paintings by Living Masters of the Past*, 1943, no. 9; and Colin Eisler, *Paintings from the Samuel H. Kress Collection: European Schools Excluding Italian*, Oxford, 1977, p. 95; list Countess Montblanc, Belgium, as owner of the painting, but this is otherwise unverified.

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1 ACQUISITION

M. Knoedler & Co., April 27, 1950

1 DISTRIBUTION

Gift to National Gallery of Art, February 21, 1952

EXTERNAL LINKS

Related Collection Record

<https://www.nga.gov/collection/art-object-page.41602.html>

Related National Gallery of Art Library Image Collections Record

https://library.nga.gov/permalink/01NGA_INST/1p5jkvq/alma99210833804896

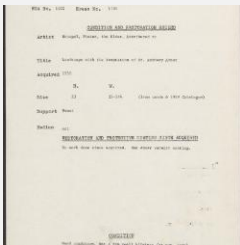
Related National Gallery of Art Systematic Catalog

<https://www.nga.gov/content/dam/ngaweb/research/publications/pdfs/early-netherlandish-painting.pdf>

9 ARCHIVAL ITEMS



K1701 - Photograph, circa 1930s-2000s



K1701 - Condition and restoration record, circa 1950s-1960s

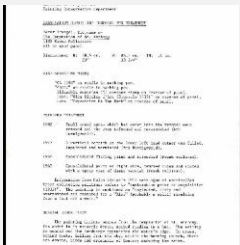


K1701 - Work summary log, 1965-1968

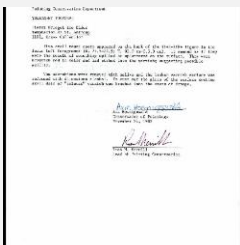
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K1701 - Photograph, 1968



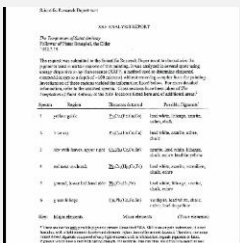
K1701 - Examination summary and treatment proposal, 1983



K1701 - Treatment proposal, 1982

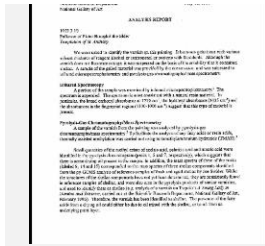


K1701 - Photograph, 1983



K1701 - Scientific analysis report, 1998

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K1701 - Scientific analysis report, 1997

RECORD LINK

<https://kress.nga.gov/Detail/objects/2303>